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#### GENERAL : MERCHANDISE.

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#### ROGERS' BEST SILVERWARE!

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and Road Wagons, which we will sell at this season at bottom prices.

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A choice assortment of fresh meat always on hand.

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### COME ON

and be convinced that I can do you good and that I am not trying to make a fortune in a day. Thanking the public for a liberal patronage, and soliciting a continuance and increase of the same, I am respectfully,

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Guaranteed to be absolutely pure and free from all adulterations. Made of apples and pure cider only. Try it and you will use no other.

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#### TOPICS And COMMENT.

Ir Congress is trying to do nothing it making a howling success at it.

THAT alleged Hill-Croker falling out as probably for federal patronage only. SENATOR SMITH, of New Jersey, ought

o shine at Washington. He's a patent A RHODE ISLAND man who died the ther day left seven widows. No dis-

count on his nerve.

The mother-in-law joke should take a back seat, now that an Ohio man has eloped with his, and \$800. Does the falling off in the number of

gentlemen "mentioned for the Cabinet" mean that the raw material is exhausted? An esteemed exchange prints a half-column editorial, asking, "What is heart

failure, anyway?" It is death, my boy. "Some good western man", who was so badly knocked out by the National conventions of last year, is already in training for 1896.

THERE are too many lobby ists in Washington this winter for the good of the country, to say nothing of the good mes of some Congressmen.

THE San Antonio grand jury was evi dently composed of newspaper readers it decided that the alleged Mexican revolution was greatly exaggerated.

It is said that you can tell more about man's character by buying a secondhand bicycle from him, than you can by hearing him talk a year in prayer meet-

THE time may come when no young man who has not taken part in a prize fight, as principal or second, can hope o gain a footing in New York or Chicago

"UNCLE JERRY" will have one satisfaction. The next Secretary of Agriculture will have to hump himself to produce a more wintry article than the country has had this season.

Why our churches spend millions of dollars every year trying to civilize and Christianize heathen savages and neglect the various State legislatures is a question worth considering.

It is said that a German has succeeded n making good brandy out of sawdust. When a man can take a rip saw and get drunk on a rail fence, prohibition will have no terrors for him.

lires. He might have taken double that they sowed. Farewell." and been in no danger of arrest.

beauties at the World's Fair promises to be the finest of any state in the Union. There are no grounds for the inference that her quota of suckers in attendance will surpass the others, however.—Ex. There are no grounds for the inference that her quota of suckers in attendance will surpass the others, however.—Ex.

THE nineteenth century ship builders did not make as good a job in duplicating the caravels of Columbus as did the builders of those hardy little vessels, as it is announced that the Nina's foremast must be taken out and put into a new position pefore she will sail.

THERE is food for serious thought in the fact that the poverty of a Senator or Representative in Congress is constantly brought forward as a proof of his honesty. While this does not necessarily imply that the rich ones are dishonest, it comes near enough to it to make a guilty man mad.

According to a late supreme court de eision the leasing of the coal right to land entitles the lessee to the coal only, and not to the oil, fireclay or other wealth hat may be under the surface. This deare leasing their coal rights just now .-

ONE of the largest whales ever taker off the American coast is to be exhibited at the World's Fair. It weighs seventyfive tons and is sixty-five feet long. Its tongue weighed 8,500 pounds and made 120 gallons of oil. Its mouth has been fitted up as a reception room and will seat twenty-five people.-Ex.

THE proposal to have a Congressional ommittee investigage the "social evil" n our large cities seems unnecessary to many people. A very large committee could easily be selected from Congress, each member of which would be prepared to make an extensive report on the sub ject without any new investigation.

TOM WHITAKER, editor of the Gatling Gun, a sensational paper published in Al-legheny, edits his paper from behind the walls of the Western penitentiary. Although Tom is in prison nearly all the time, on account of things published in his paper, he is not discouraged. This is what he says: "I married one of the best girls in the world. She is a wife that weighs but 90 pounds, but she is worth her weight in gold. She has stuck to me during 28 years of prison life, and she will stick to me until I die; and so long as she sticks to me, I don't care a continental for the world and its opinion."

JUDGE PAXTON, of the Supreme Court of this state, has just rendered a decision which confirms the force of the old "Blue law" statute of 1794; and, under it, makes the selling of newspapers, on Sunday, a misdemennor. It is an outrage on mod-ern civilization that the people of this country have to be hampered by laws passed by our great-great-grandfathers. who knew about as much of the wants of this generation, as we do of those to come a hundred years after us. The Pennsylvania legislature, at this winter's session, ought to expunge every law of this sort on the statute books. Not that Sunday should not be observed in all decency and decorum, but that a man should be deprived of reading a newspaper on Sun-day, because the selling of it is not a work of "necessity or charity," is the

to support his paper:
"In bidding adieu to Malvern as the prejudice and bust the rust-eaten shackles of rural conventionalities, has recoiled with stupendous force upon our pocket-book. We have cried 'bread, bread,' when there was no bread. We have wasted our energies and dulled the edge tears are unknown. We have danced and the daughters of music are dumb. We have stung you into madness. We have tickled you under the chin. We have nursed and coddled the lean and meager truth. We have created and dis-bursed the large and lusty lie. The fruits of our efforts have been apples of Sodom and our belly is filled with wind. Were poverty a sin, this were a hamlet in hell; were selfishness a virtue, this were a palace in Paradise. To our friends--to those tress-our memory will ever be green. and may the gods of time and fortune be

Pennsylvania's display of piscatorial

Many of the railroads of the country have decided not to issue the customary half-fare permits to clergymen. Why

Yes, why should they have half-fare rmits? That is something that we have long wondered at. A clergyman who has any dignity about him or respect for his calling will not care whether he has to pay full fare or not. It is the plug preacher who will raise a howl about paying full fare—the insignificant, small souled preacher who imagines that be ought to have everything he wants for nothing or about half-price, and all fo no other reason than because he is a preacher. The opinion used to prevai nore or less, among ignorant people, that preachers were better than other pe consequently entitled to more favors. This idea, however, has about gone glim learned that clergymen carry about as much humanity and its sins with them as other people do. In short, they are that may be under the surface. This decision is one of interest to our people who who tills the soil and the man who wields the pick and shovel in the bowels of th able as that of the man who stands be hind the sacred desk, encased in broad cloth, and expounds the Gospel. The idea that preachers, who are generally well paid, (in many cases too well paid for the services rendered) should ride about on railway trains at half-fare, while poor miners and other laborers pay full three fares in advertising, is an outrage and a disgrace. It is truly about time for the railroad companies to get their eyes open and do justice, regardless of rags, tags or broadcloth.

Southampton.
Grand sledding at present, and all the oung folks are enjoying themselves

Rev. Knepper occupied the pulpit at Gladdens Run church, last Sunday, at 10:30 a

meetings at Kennell's Mills union church, on the evening of Feb. 15th.

Mr. Israel Emerick died last Friday night at 11 o'clock, of heart disease. He will be buried today at 12 o'clock. Funeral sermon will be preached at Comp's church, by Rev. Knepper, of Wellers

burg.

There is quite a revival meeting going on at Glencoe, conducted by Rev. Auker. This meeting is now in progress for over two weeks. Thus far about ten conve sions have been made and there are yet quite a number of seekers.

The Daniel Boyer farm was sold on the 14th inst. for \$1,100. John Martz, auc

16th inst. for \$2,400. Dennis Cook, auc Jan. 23d, 1893

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Once upon a time a certain man got mad last straw that breaks the camel's back.—
Somerset Vedette.

True following is the way Editor W. S. THE following is the way Editor W. S. Knox. of the Malvern (O.) Doings. bid adieu to a constituency which has failed \$8 for hunting on Sunday, and he paid \$300 for a lot of forged notes that had scene of our struggles in the field of jour-nalism, our readers will pardon a brief a foot on him like a forge hammer, to outline of the causes which have compelled our departure. On ours, lack of judgment, and failure to comprehend the essential littleness of the place—our expectations that we could dispel the hoary down and rob him if he eyer ordered his down and rob him if he eyer ordered his down and rob him if he ever ordered hi paper stopped again. Such is life with out a newspaper.—Ex.

During the greater portion of last year Somerset county was represented at the Western penitentiary by 31 prisoners.
Three of this number have recently been of our wit in trying to make blood gush from a turnip. We have laughed where there is no mirth. We have wept where there is no mirth. We have danced Commissioners for the maintenance of county. A separate account is kept with each prisoner. The entire number were each prisoner. The entire number were allowed \$1460.41 for labor performed leaving a balance of \$2543.94 for main tenance to be paid. -Somerset Herald.

1893 has a pretty good foothold, but still you will continue to receive letters with a disfigured 3 at the end of the date. The "3" will look like it had been struck who succored us in the hour of our dis--Oakland Republican.

The project for the manufacture of The manager of a Naples bank was arrested the other day for taking 2,000,000 and word of cheer—may they reap as ing very satisfactory shape. Our inform ant feels confident that the works will be started next summer and that from the